# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2542
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NON-IMPLEMENTATION OF SUGGESTIONS OF NCSC/NCST
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**Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government is not giving proper attention to findings/suggestions of the National Commission for Scheduled Castes in most of the cases;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the reason; and

(c) the reaction of the Government in this regard?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI P. BALRAM NAIK)

(a) to (c) As per Article 338(5) (d) of the Constitution, the National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC) shall present to the President, annually and at such other times as the Commission may deem fit, reports upon the working of safeguards provided for Scheduled Castes under the Constitution. As per the clause 6 of Article 338, the President shall cause all such reports to be laid before each House of Parliament along with a memorandum explaining the action taken or proposed to be taken on the recommendations relating to the Union and the reasons for the non-acceptance, if any, of any of such recommendations.

Reports submitted by the NCSC are examined and action taken memorandum prepared by the Government for laying the reports in the Parliament.